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Upcoming Events:

Laurens Wednesdays
6:30-8:00pm

Unatego Thursdays
6:30-8:30pm

Walton Tuesdays
6:30-8:30pm

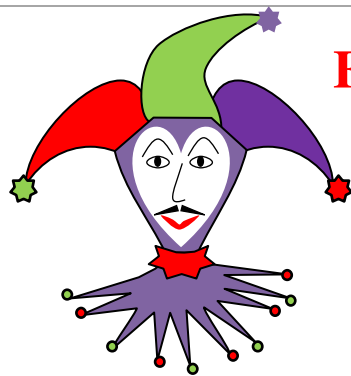
Jefferson Thursdays
6:30-8:30pm

Teen Center Saturdays
6:30-9:30pm

Teen Center
Art/Talent Show March 16-
Practice Time-
TBD, Show-
6:30pm

5K Joker Run/
Walk Fundraiser April 6-
10:30am

Unatego High
School
Edward McKinley May 25-
Soccer 8:00 am
Tournament



February 2019 Newsletter

Youth for Christ's 6th Annual 5 K "Joker Run"

Join the FUN!!!!

WHEN: Saturday, April 6, 2019
Registration: 8:30-10:00 AM & number pick up
Race Start: 10:30 AM

WHERE: Unadilla, NY
Start location: Unadilla Elementary School
End location: YFC Teen Center, 16 Watson St.
Shuttle available back to school at end of race.

WHAT: 5 K Run & Walk
WHO: ALL Ages!
COST: \$20.00 postmarked by March 25th, \$25 after 3/25 & day of race.
Checks to: Central NY YFC

Costumes encouraged!

Come join the fun & help support our Teen Center!

PLEASE NOTE The 2018-2019 YFC Catalog is a great way to donate to specific needs. These donations are welcome any time during the year. If you would like to receive a catalog, please contact the YFC office (contact info on front page).

For Joker Run registration forms call 607-432-0594 or email cnyyfc@cnyyfc.org, a form can also be found at <http://www.cnyyfc.org/events>, or online registration is <https://www.raceentry.com/races/yfc-joker-run/2019/register>.

Praises!

Great Banquet.

New addition to banquet, an Art Auction that was successful.

Testimonies at the banquet were inspiring.

Prayer Requests:

For the new Campus Life Club in Jefferson.

For the planning of student led clubs in the schools.

For our Art/Talent Show: Pray we would have a large number of participants in both the art and talent sections of the show and that local community people attending would want to continue to support the Teen Center.

For the 5K Run/Walk: Pray we would have safety for the runners/walkers, enough volunteers and that we would have at least 100 participants.

For a tournament speaker and the planning of the third annual soccer tournament in honor of Edward McKinley, III.

Central NY YFC Staff:

Dorothy Davidson,
Executive Director

Mike Knowlton,
Ministry Staff

Helena Salati
Ministry Staff

Jody Wisse,
Office Manager



“Transforming over Time”

The Youth for Christ Banquet at Brooks House of BBQ took place on February 9. There were approximately 80 people in attendance who enjoyed the evening with a good dinner and inspiring speakers. In total we had nine guest speakers. The group of speakers included: current and past YFC teens, adults who attended YFC activities many years ago and volunteers and staff who are currently working with our YFC ministries. Our theme was “Transforming over Time.” Ken Barton and Tim Stewart sent videos to discuss their transformation throughout the years. In addition, there were two other guest speakers: a Walton Club volunteer and a Show Team volunteer. We also heard testimonies from three teens and ministry updates from the Walton and Jefferson ministries. For the last few years I have been blessed as I listened to the testimonies. I usually plan the banquet so that people attending can receive a blessing and also be updated about our ministries and events. At each banquet, however, I have found myself being the one who is blessed and encouraged.

This was the first year that we provided a Silent Art Auction at the banquet. There were seven pieces of art that raised \$550.00. We are having our Art/Talent Show on March 16 at the Teen Center. I plan to ask the contestants in the art portion of the show if they would be willing to donate their work for a future art auction. I am hopeful that this will become a fun addition to our annual banquet.

Thank you to everyone who attended the banquet. It was wonderful to see many different local communities and churches represented in support of our ministries. We look forward to next year.

Dorothy Davidson, Executive Director

Participation or Volunteer Opportunities

Art and Talent Show (March 16): We need participants who would like to delight us with something special. To be added to the show, please contact Dorothy Davidson at (607) 432-3343 or the YFC office at (607) 432-0594. You may win a prize! Art pieces and music will need to be pre-approved. Entries need to be in by March 11 for approval.

5K Joker Run/Walk (April 6): We need volunteers to help with pre-race preparation, race operations, and cleanup after the race. Please let us know if you can lend a hand.

Upcoming Yard Sales: We will be having a number of Yard Sales coming up in May, June and July and we encourage people to give the office a call (432-0594) or Mike Knowlton (988-3006) if you have items that you would like to donate.

Edward McKinley III Soccer Tournament (May 25): The tournament will take place at the Unatego High School. We will need 12 soccer teams consisting of no more than 8 players to participate in the tournament. Participants must be in grades 9-12. A registration form can be found on the website-<http://www.cnyyfc.org/events>

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